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AMENDMENTS

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please add the following new paragraph beginning on page 2, line 1:

--RELATED APPLICATION

This application claims priority to U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/192,113, entitled "*High Throughput Screening Array Containing Porous Silica*", filed March 24, 2000.--

IN THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1. (Currently Amended) A two dimensional array comprising:
molecules bound to a fused fiber porous material surface, wherein
the array contains at least about 100 different molecules, ;and each of the
different molecules is bound in a different predetermined region of the porous
material surface; said material manufactured from alumina fibers, silica
fibers, and a fusion source.
2. (Cancelled)
3. (Currently Amended) The array of claim 1, wherein the porous material
fusion source is made from alumina, silica, and boron.
4. (Original) The array of claim 1, wherein the porous material is made from a
composition comprising about 1% to about 50% by weight alumina, about 50% to about 98%
by weight silica, and about 1% to about 5% by weight boron.
5. (Original) The array of claim 1, wherein the mean pore diameter of the porous
material is greater than about 10 microns.